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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS:

BERTRAM RUPIETTA ET AL. - 1

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EXAMINER: M. DANIELS

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TITLE:

METHOD AND DEVICE FOR THE PRODUCTION OF A MULTI-

LAYER CONCRETE PIPE

PETITION UNDER RULE 136(a) AND RULE 17(a)(2)

MAIL STOP RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, under Rule 136(a), to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated, April 5, 2006, for two months, from July 5, 2006, to September 5, 2006. Submitted herewith, under Rule 17(a)(2), is a check in the amount of \$165.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a Small Entity.

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